

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS, EASTERN DIVISION**

SAFECO INSURANCE COMPANY OF)
AMERICA and OHIO CASUALTY)
INSURANCE COMPANY, individually, and on)
Behalf of a Class consisting of members of the)
National Workers Compensation Reinsurance Pool,)
Plaintiffs,)

v.)

AMERICAN INTERNATIONAL GROUP,)
INC., et al.,)
Defendants.)

Case No. 09 CV 2026

Judge Robert W. Gettleman

Magistrate Judge Sidney I. Schenkier

NOTICE OF APPEAL

Notice is hereby given that plaintiffs Safeco Insurance Company of America and Ohio Casualty Insurance Company hereby appeal to the United States Court of Appeals for the Seventh Circuit from the final judgment entered in this action on December 21, 2011, to the extent that the district court's order of that date [Dkt. #: 589] constitutes a final judgment within the meaning of Fed. Rule Civ. Pro. 54.

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